



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re application of

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MACROPHAGES, PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE SAME AND THEIR USE AS ACTIVE  
SUBSTANCE OF PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS

**DECLARATION OF MOHAMED CHOKRI AND JACQUES BARTHOLEYNS**

We, Mohamed CHOKRI and Jacques BARTHOLEYNS, declare that we are the joint inventors of the above-identified application and that we are the only inventors of the subject-matter claimed therein.

As to the article "Production of Human Macrophages" etc. that applied in Anticancer Research 12 : 2257-2260 (1992) we are joint authors with six other persons; but these six other persons are not joint inventors of the subject matter claimed in the above-identified application.

Specifically, the reasons the other six persons were named at the head of the article are as follows:

M. Lopez was involved in the elutriation of the macrophages.

C. Oleron and A. Girard are technicians who studied the antitumor properties of a cell line.

C. Martinache is a technician who was involved in elutriation.

S. Canepa studied the CD (cluster differentiation) membrane antigens by cytofluorimetry cell analysis.

J.C. Siffert was involved in the titration of the tumor necrosis factor.

And we further declare that all statements made herein of our knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

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